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**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**Interview Agenda**

Dear Sir:

Thank you for your time during the telephone conversation of November 11, 2003.

Below is the proposed agenda for the in person interview Stan Schneider (one of the inventors) and with me via the telephone, which is scheduled for November 18, 2003 at 1:00 PM (ET).

The scope if the interview is to allow the inventors and me to better understand your reasons for rejecting the claims, so that we may possibly amend the claims for a response to the Official Action. Therefore, proposed amendments are not being submitted at this time. We understand that the Examiner may ask the inventor's questions in investigating patentability.

- 1) Discuss comments regarding allowable subject matter.
- 2) Discuss ControlShell 5.1 released June 1996.
- 3) Discuss "Visual Object-Oriented Programming Concepts and Environments"
- 4) Discuss "Visual Basic 6.0"
- 5) Discuss amending the claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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